Listing and Amendments to the Claims

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This listing of claims will replace the claims that were published in the PCT Application:

- 1. (currently amended) Video apparatus comprising:
- a connector (2; 22; 42) for receiving a video signal and having at least a first pin carrying a first signal, at least a second pin carrying a second signal and at least a third pin (16; 36; 56) carrying a signal indicative of which of the first signal and the second signal defines the video signal at a given point in time,
- transmission means coupling the first pin and the second pin to a video circuit (18; 38; 58) able to operate with at least two types of video signal,
- detection means (4; 24; 44) connected to the third pin (16; 36; 56) for determining a characteristic of the video signal based on the indicative signal,
- control means (4; 24; 44) responsive to said characteristic for sending a control signal (CTL; 26; 54, 66) whereby the video circuit (18; 38; 58) is forced to operate with one of said types of video signal.
- 2. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the third pin (16) is coupled to the video circuit (18) with interposition of a switch (6) and wherein the switch (6) is controlled by the control signal (CTL).
- 3. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the control means (24; 44) and the video circuit (38; 58) are linked at least via a bus (26; 54, 66) able to carry the control signal.
- 4. (original) Video apparatus according to claim 3, wherein the control means has means to modify parameters in the video circuit thereby forcing operation in one of said types of video signal.
- 5. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to any of claims 1 to 4 claim 1, wherein the control means has means to modify parameters in the video circuit thereby altering video processing by the video circuit.

- 6. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to any of claims 1 to 5 claim 1, wherein the video circuit (18) comprises means (14) for recording said video signal.
- 7. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to claim 6, wherein the control means (4)-is further responsive to a selection made by the user.
- 8. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to any of claims 1 to 5 claim 1, wherein the video circuit (38) comprises means (30) to convert the video signal into a digital stream.
- 9. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the video circuit is a video decoder (30).
- 10. (currently amended) Video apparatus according to any of claims 1 to 5 claim 1, wherein the video circuit (58) comprises a display (64).